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This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the captioned application.

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-6 (cancelled)

Claim 7 (currently amended): A nonwoven material comprising: 1) a first surface and a second surface opposite the first surface, 2) an adhesive composition disposed in a pattern on the first surface of the nonwoven material, and 3) a plurality of apertures in said nonwoven material not patterned with adhesive, wherein said apertures originate in the second surface of the nonwoven material.

Claim 8 (currently amended): The nonwoven material of claim 67, wherein the nonwoven material is a fibrous nonwoven web or a plastic film.

Claim 9 (currently amended): The nonwoven material of claim 67, wherein the adhesive composition comprises an additive selected from the group consisting of hydrophilic materials, hydrophobic materials, superabsorbent polymers, pigments, and combinations thereof.

Claims 10-15 (cancelled)